

Abstract

The present invention relates to an umbrella windshield covering used to protect the vision of a driver while driving in severe heavy rainstorms, hail, sleet, etc. This umbrella windshield covering can also be used as an automobile shade. As a shade it will reduce the amount of the sun's heat and ultraviolet rays entering through the windshield. This windshield umbrella can be made onto the top of the automobile as a permanent fixture and it can be housed in the harness on top of the roof of the automobile and then released, when flash floods or inclement weather occurs. The umbrella can be hidden back into the harness when not in use, see fig. 1d of the permanent remote unit. The windshield umbrella can also be attached manually by mounting the chassis or harness into the mounting brackets on the top of the automobile and released or retracted manually. The self-mounting unit can be removed and stored in the trunk of an automobile when not in use.

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Claims

1. The windshield umbrella can be used on any motor vehicle (i.e., car, truck, van, bus, etc.).
2. The sole purpose of this invention is to be used as a safety device to improve the visibility of the driver during heavy rainstorms or inclement weather, improving the safety of the driver and other motorists. When used, this umbrella will protect the windshield from excessive rain, hail, sleet, etc. resulting in a clearer view of the road for the driver.
3. The windshield umbrella will also alleviate pulling over to the side of the road while driving in a heavy rainstorm, due to vision impairment.
4. The windshield umbrella of claim 2 will be adhered to the top of the roof of the vehicle, either as a permanent or temporary fixture. The umbrella is also wind-resistant.